# Public Safety



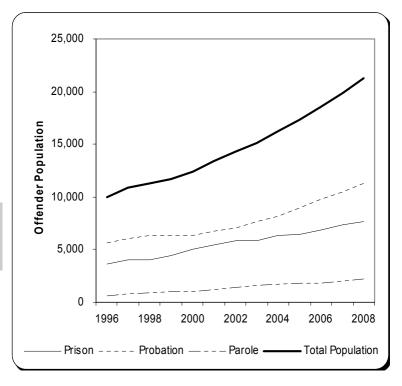
Public Safety						
Original Appropriations	FY 1996	FY 2006	Annual <u>% Chg</u>	Total <u>% Chg</u>		
By Department or Division						
Correction Dept.	63.6	139.4	8.2%	119.1%		
Support Division	8.5	24.4	11.2%	187.8%		
Operations Division	54.6	94.3	5.6%	72.7%		
Idaho Correctional Center		19.0				
Pardons & Parole Com.	.5	1.7	12.3%	219.0%		
Judicial Branch	19.4	34.0	5.8%	75.6%		
Juvenile Corrections	20.2	45.0	8.3%	122.4%		
State Police	35.4	53.8	4.3%	51.8%		
Brand Inspection	2.0	2.5	2.1%	23.6%		
Police, Division of State	31.2	46.0	4.0%	47.7%		
POST Academy	1.1	4.5	15.5%	322.6%		
Racing Commission	1.2	.8	(4.1%)	(33.9%)		
Total	\$138.7	\$272.2	7.0%	96.3%		
By Fund Source						
General	\$104.9	\$194.4	6.4%	85.3%		
Dedicated	25.3	59.3	8.9%	134.4%		
Federal	8.5	18.6	8.1%	118.5%		
Total	\$138.7	\$272.2	7.0%	96.3%		

Numbers Displayed in Millions of Dollars and May Not Add Due to Rounding

- Over this same period of time the prison population grew from 2,788 at the start of FY 1996, to 6,312 by the end of FY 2005. Compared to the funding for the same period, the prison population grew at an annual rate of 8.5%, with a ten-year increase of 126.4%.
- The Idaho Correctional Center opened in FY 2001 with an initial appropriation of \$15.4 million. By FY 2006 the appropriation increased to \$19.0 million which includes the per diem to the private contractor and liability insurance for the facility.
- The functions of the State Youth Services Center in St. Anthony, Juvenile Justice Services, and Juvenile Detention and Assessment were programs located within the Department of Health and Welfare. They were subsequently transferred to a newly created Department of Juvenile Corrections in FY 1996.

#### **Adult Correctional Population Trends in Idaho**

The Number of Adults in the Correctional Population Continues to Increase



Over 20,000 people in Idaho are under some form of correctional supervision including:

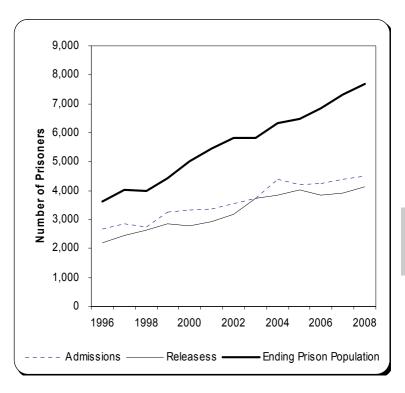
**Prison.** Confinement in an institution of the Idaho Department of Correction for the imprisonment of persons convicted of serious crimes.

**Probation.** Court ordered community supervision of convicted offenders by the Department of Correction.

**Parole.** Community supervision of convicted offenders by the department after a period of incarceration.

- From 1996 through 2004, the historical average annual percent change for those persons under the supervision of the department was an increase of 6.8%.
- ♦ The forecast for 2005 through 2008, assumes that the average annual growth rate will rise to about 7.0%.

### Inmate Admissions, Releases, and Year-End Prison Population Trends in Idaho



- Between 1996 and 2004, admissions to Idaho's prisons increased by 66% from 2,653 to 4,402. During this same time period the number of inmates released from prison increased by 75% from 2,200 to 3,854.
- ◆ The closer the gap is between admissions and releases, the more stable the inmate population, such as occurred in 1998 and then again in 2003. In 1998 the small growth rate in inmate population was primarily due to a reduction in admissions to prison, while the small growth rate in inmate population in 2003 was primarily due to a dramatic increase in the number of releases from prison.
- ♦ The Idaho Offender Population Forecast for 2005 through 2008, however, anticipates an annual growth rate of only 5.1%. Even with this smaller growth rate, this translates into an additional 1,497 new admissions for a prison system that is already operating at full capacity.

#### Selected Prison Data Comparison of Idaho to Western States and Nation

	State Prisoner Incarceration	% of Female Prisoners to All State	Under State Correctional	for
Western States	Rate <sup>1</sup> 2003	Prisoners 2003	Supervision <sup>2</sup> 2003	Corrections 2002
ldaho	427	10.1%	8.8%	\$127
State Rank	19	4	3	21
Oregon	354	6.9%	6.2%	\$140
State Rank	30	27	16	13
Washington	260	8.0%	8.7%	\$121
State Rank	40	18	5	24
Nevada	462	8.3%	3.8%	\$104
State Rank	15	16	41	34
Utah	240	7.4%	2.8%	\$115
State Rank	42	24	46	28
Montana	393	11.6%	3.6%	\$117
State Rank	22	2	43	27
Wyoming	372	9.3%	4.3%	\$166
State Rank	28	5	35	5
National	430	6.9%	6.3%	\$127

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Incarceration Rate = State Prisoners per 100,000 Population as of December 31, 2003

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes adults 18 years of age or older, in prison or jail, on probation or parole

#### Selected Prison Cost Comparison of Idaho to Western States and Nation

	Annual Operating Costs per	% of Prison Expenses Used for	Medical Costs per State	Food Service Costs Per
Western States	Prisoner 2001	Operating <sup>1</sup> 2001	Inmate 2001	Inmate 2001
Idaho	\$16,319	97.2%	\$1,715	\$643
State Rank	41	27	37	40
Oregon	\$36,060	98.8%	\$1,284	\$664
State Rank	7	9	45	39
Washington	\$30,168	94.2%	\$3,412	\$2,074
State Rank	10	37	11	2
Nevada	\$17,572	99.3%	\$2,871	\$1,401
State Rank	39	6	17	13
Utah	\$24,574	99.8%	\$1,343	\$958
State Rank	24	1	43	32
Montana	\$21,898	98.9%	\$922	\$425
State Rank	30	7	49	45
Wyoming	\$28,845	86.2%	\$3,891	\$1,024
State Rank	11	45	7	26
National	\$22,650	96.2%	\$2,625	\$955

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Does not include other correctional spending for programs such as juvenile correctional activities, adult parole boards, and correctional administration not associated with specific penal institutions.

SOURCE: Morgan Quintno, Crime State Rankings 2005, 12th Edition, Pages 99, 101, 103, & 104

## Inmate Demographics by Gender, Ethnicity, Age, and Crime Category

			Contract	County		% of
Description	<u>Prison</u>	CWC*	<u>Beds</u>	<u>Jails</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
By Gender						
Male	5,358	247	0	151	5,756	88.8%
Female	422	93	0	214	729	11.2%
Total	5,780	340	0	365	6,485	100.0%
By Ethnicity						
White	4,439	278	0	275	4,992	77.0%
Hispanic	933	42	0	43	1,018	15.7%
Indian	204	13	0	15	232	3.6%
Black	101	5	0	4	110	1.7%
Asian	29	1	0	2	32	0.5%
Other	26	1	0	1	28	0.4%
Unknown	48	0	0	25	73	1.1%
Total	5,780	340	0	365	6,485	100.0%
By Age						
Juvenile	3	0	0	0	3	0.0%
18-20	188	1	0	13	202	3.1%
21-25	1,142	47	0	78	1,267	19.5%
26-30	987	52	0	74	1,113	17.2%
31-35	834	53	0	54	941	14.5%
36-40	792	68	0	61	921	14.2%
41-45	777	57	0	41	875	13.5%
46-50	472	37	0	29	538	8.3%
51-55	281	13	0	10	304	4.7%
Over 55	304	12	0	5	321	4.9%
Total	5,780	340	0	365	6,485	100.0%
By Crime						
Alcohol	298	32	0	20	350	5.4%
Assault	1,220	31	0	55	1,306	20.1%
Drug	1,372	140	0	141	1,653	25.5%
Murder/Man.	340	3	0	10	353	5.4%
Property	1,356	134	0	114	1,604	24.7%
SexOffense	1,191	0	0	16	1,207	18.6%
No Rpt'd Crime	3	0	0	9	12	0.2%
Total	5,780	340	0	365	6,485	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup>CWC = Community Work Centers

SOURCE: Idaho Department of Correction Standard Reports, May 2005